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In re Application of: Powers, et al.

Serial No: 10/025,377

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Group Art Unit: 1771

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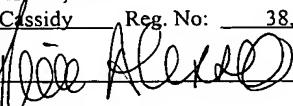
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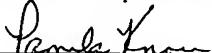
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 28, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below and consider the remarks that follow.